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Cooking Device and Cooking Device with
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please consider the following:

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